

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

Inhibitors of the alpha carbonic anhydrase inhibitors are administered to treat *H. pylori* infection in the mammalian, including human, stomach. The inhibitors are administered to mammals, including humans, in an amount that results in  $4 \times 10^{-4}$  to  $4 \times 10^{-9}$  Molar concentration of the drug in the stomach because this concentration range is lethal to the *H. pylori* bacteria.